

Section 15.518 – Proposed language

(h) *Duties and Responsibilities.* The Board shall:

- (1) Make recommendations to the County Executive on the acquisition of agricultural land preservation easements, as provided in this subtitle.
- (2) Recommend to the County Executive and the County Council the criteria and method for calculating the price for easement purchase.
- (3) In accordance with the terms of the deed of easement and this subtitle, review and make recommendations on:
 - (i) Proposals for the location of permitted lots and dwellings,
 - (ii) Proposals for the construction of tenant housing, and
 - (iii) Proposals for parcel subdivision of the land.
- (4) Review and make recommendations on Agricultural Land Preservation Program policy and agricultural policy in general to the Executive Secretary.
- (5) Serve in an advisory capacity to the Department of Planning and Zoning on agricultural issues, including the evaluation of uses and/or reported violations on farms.
- (6) Report annually on the status of the program to the County Executive and the County Council.